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IRONTON, MO.

THURSDAY, APRIL 2, 1903.

Announcement.

We are authorized to announce O. J. BUFORD as a candidate for Commissioner of Public Schools for Iron county, Mo., subject to the decision of the voters at the ensuing election—April 7th, 1903.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Street lamps.
Buck beer time.
Did anybody fool you yesterday?
March winds were mild this year.
Lopez's have a new ad. this week.
Now for the gentle showers of April.
The farmers are busy sowing oats.
The Baptist church is offered for sale.
Crab shooting on the streets comes high.
Easter cards at Adolph's jewelry store.
What more lovely than the spring time!
Lopez's millinery opening Thursday, April 9th.
Not a single wedding is talked of for Easter.
The picnic and excursion season will soon be at hand.
School elections throughout the county next Tuesday.
The home-grown early garden truck will soon be in the market.
It would be a good idea now to pick up the loose stones on the street.
The Rebekahs will give a dance at the Academy of Music April 13th.
Again we pause to inquire, "What has happened to our new depot?"
Spring opening at Mrs. Lulu Gillam Woodside's Saturday, April 11th.
N. J. Lewis, our County Treasurer, has been quite sick the past week.
Mr. Buford has it all to himself in the race for County Commissioner.
Academy of Music stockholders have their annual meeting next Monday.
Some troops from the barracks will probably be here the last of the month.
As yet we have heard of no candidates for school director in this district.
The roads have sufficiently improved for the timber haulers to be at work again.
THE REGISTER this week completes the publication of the personal assessment list.
March went out "like a lamb" and April was inaugurated with a perfect spring day.
The Easter lilies have been in bloom two or three weeks and Easter yet ten days distant.
The Bismarck Sun has ceased to shine and the junction town is again without a newspaper.
The county board of equalization will be in session at the courthouse three days next week.
W. P. Pippin has purchased the saw mill belonging to Mrs. McLeod on the east fork of Black River.
About fifteen teachers attended the examination held at the schoolhouse last Friday and Saturday.
Ben. Huff, of Ironton, and Martha Holland, of St. Louis, were married in St. Louis Wednesday, April 1st.
The revival meeting which has been in progress several weeks at the Fort Hill church closed Friday night.
John Thomas was in St. Louis this week buying a stock of dry goods and shoes for the W. H. Thomas store.
It is almost six weeks away, yet, but bear in mind the May Festival. It is going to be the event of the season.
The street lamps were placed in position last Saturday and since then the streets have been lighted at night.
The local supply of eggs is greater than the demand and a good many cases are being shipped to St. Louis.
The cherry trees in this section for many years past have borne little or no fruit. Can any one tell us the reason why?
When the elections are held next Tuesday let every district select a good and competent man for road overseer.
The roads and streets have been improved sufficiently for driving to be very pleasant and lots of rigs were out Sunday.
County court adjourned Wednesday evening of last week after being in session three days settling with the collector.
W. H. Delano and James W. Dixon are candidates for road overseer in District No. 8—the district south and east of Ironton.
G. A. Buckley has begun the building of a residence on the property east of town that he recently acquired from Mrs. Pilley.
The next annual meeting of the Southeast Missouri Log Rollers Association will be held at Poplar Bluff August 22d.
Dr. H. M. Jones of this city and H. L. Bell of Bellevue are in St. Louis serving as jurors in the United States Circuit Court.
Wm. Lanahan, who recently moved here from St. Louis, is going into the chicken business on a small farm near the rifle range.
The first tomatoes of the season were on the market last week. They were imported from Florida and retailed at three for a dime.

WANTED—A cow, few hogs and a few dozen chickens. Will pay cash for same. Apply at this office.

If you want to hear a good sermon Sunday night, go to St. Paul's church. Service at 7:30 o'clock. Good music.

Rev. L. C. Werner expects to have the new residence he is building on the convent grounds completed early in the summer.

Don't forget to attend church on Good Friday. It is the habit of many to always take notice of Easter, but spurn Good Friday.

It is stated that several Iron county people will take bonds in the Farmington-DeLassus electric road. The bonds pay six per cent.

G. W. Scoggins had the misfortune to lose his saw mill and hub factory at Glover by fire early last Friday morning. The loss is a large one.

St. Francis county is considering the advisability of bonding the county for \$200,000 in order to build rock roads throughout the county.

The evening service at St. Paul's church on Easter day will be a very attractive service. New music at this service as well as at the other services.

The prophets are saying that we do not need to think that winter has altogether left us, but that about Easter we may expect the parting chilly blast.

H. E. Melhado writes some of his friends here that he is now living in Chicago and expects to pay a visit to Ironton in the not far distant future.

Dr. Frye, a specialist on nervous diseases from St. Louis was here last week attending W. F. Werner of St. Louis who is serving a sentence in the jail here.

Rev. J. R. A. Vaughn will preach at Fort Hill church next Sunday, morning and evening, and will hold Quarterly Conference Monday morning. Come.

Watch for the announcement of the Easter programme of services at St. Paul's church. Now, especially rendered music, and all the services made very attractive.

The Modern Woodmen held a county convention in Ironton yesterday and elected Geo. D. Marks, of Ironton, as delegate to the State convention to be held in Jackson.

County Commissioner Buford and Prof. Daugherty have a letter in another column in reference to the training school they propose inaugurating about the first of May.

Mr. Johnson, the ice man, says that he thinks he has enough ice on hand to last half through the summer. After that, though, he will have to import ice from St. Louis.

After all those twenty years and more it begins to look very much now like the tower on the Academy of Music will crumble into decay before a clock is located there.

Dr. Summa is making extensive improvements about his lovely home in Russellville. The Dr. seems determined to have one of the most elegant places in all this part of the country.

NOTICE.—Anybody from the adjoining towns within twenty-five miles of Ironton, who will buy \$10 worth of goods at Mullin & Brown's new cash store, can get their car fare refunded.

The county court last week awarded Chas. J. Tual a contract for building a picket fence around the courthouse yard. The cost will be about \$450. The old fence now around the premises cost \$900.

A case was brought here from Butler county on a change of venue last week. The style of the suit is Cohn & Peiz vs. the St. L. I. M. & S. E. and damages are asked for on alleged overcharges for freight.

Children's service at St. Paul's church Easter day at 9:30 A. M. The children will make special offerings of flowers, which will be placed on the altar at the beautiful morning service at 11 o'clock.

THE REGISTER a couple of weeks ago stated that J. T. Patterson, of Bellevue, had purchased a farm in Flat River from A. Rieke. This was an error. The farm was purchased by W. P. Patterson, of Marble Creek.

A. J. Zwart and John Gleasing, of Farmington, were in Ironton Monday. Mr. Zwart, who is a director in the electric road from DeLassus to Farmington tells us that the road will probably be in operation by June 1st.

The quartermen in the employ of the Sycamore Granite Company quit work Wednesday morning. The company refused to sign the new bill presented by the quartermen. It is thought that matters will be adjusted in a few days.

Mr. Bishop's commission as postmaster expired February 20th. It was thought the appointment would be made about that time but up to the present no action has been taken. It is not known what is causing the delay.

Editor Byers of the Eagle had the misfortune to break the index finger on his left hand while running his job press last Saturday. Dr. Marshall at once placed the broken member in splints and Mr. Byers is getting along very well.

Fifty cars of freight were exported from this station the past month and that with a great many shippers not being able to get cars. During the month fifteen cars of scrow were shipped, each car containing twelve hundred doors.

Rev. T. J. Peterson of Lutesville has been assigned charge of the M. E. Church here for the ensuing year. He will fill his first appointment Sunday, April 13th. Rev. Peterson is the father of Rev. J. A. Peterson who was here last year.

We hear that Mr. J. W. Whitworth will soon return from Bismarck and make his home in Arcadia again, engaging in the mercantile business with his son, W. G. We will be glad to have Mr. Whitworth a resident of the Valley again.

W. H. Byers was in St. Louis the first of the week and returned Tuesday, bringing with him his daughter, Mrs. Freeman, who has been in the city a couple of months for treatment. Mrs. Freeman is reported as being greatly improved.

A building in the rear of J. A. Kerwin's saloon, in Ghermanville, was destroyed by fire on the night of March 21st. The fire was of incendiary origin. This is said to have been the third time the building was set on fire within a short time.

W. R. Allen, Jr., of Graniteville, was a caller at the REGISTER office Tuesday. Mr. Allen is in charge at Graniteville now and informs us that the Sycamore Granite Company expects to have plenty of work and be kept fairly busy during the coming summer.

The ladies of St. Paul's Guild have sold a number of hand-made, cable-knit sweaters, made to order, and return thanks to their patrons. Orders should be sent in promptly, as the making of these garments requires the labor of more than one day.

Regular meeting of Ironton K. of P. Lodge, No. 241, on Friday, April 10th, at 8 P. M. Work in first and third rank. All members are urged to be present as there will be something doing after lodge.

FRED KINDELL, JR., K. of K. & S. Mr. Hummel, the book keeper at Clark's hub factory, will shortly remove to the residence occupied by Mrs. Kemmett and Rev. Geo. Steel will remove to the Foster cottage vacated by Mr. Hummel. Mr. Reysburg will occupy the house vacated by Mr. Steel.

Friend Trauernicht of Middlebrook says that Ab. Blich of Hogan and Chas. Fuller of De Soto spent several days of last week in the Middlebrook vicinity hunting. He says that they didn't secure so very much game, but for all that the hunters seemed to be enjoying themselves.

Dr. J. J. Norwine went over to Charleston this morning to organize the physicians of that county into a county medical board, similar to the Butler County Board. He went as representative to the judicial committee of the State Board of Health.—Poplar Bluff Citizen.

Harry J. Snyder of Creve Coeur, St. Louis county, and Miss Henrietta C. Lay of St. Louis were united in marriage in St. Louis last Wednesday, March 26th, 1903. The bride was formerly a resident of Bellevue this county and many friends will wish her every happiness.

We understand the hub mill at Lesterville will close down until fall. Mr. White, the manager, will move to Annapolis and take charge of a hub mill at that place. W. H. George will receive timber for the mill at Lesterville this spring and summer.—Reynolds County Outlook.

W. H. R. Brown last week left for St. Louis where he has a position with the Hamilton-Brown Shoe Company. Will was for a number of years employed in this office and a better boy than he is was never reared in the Valley. We trust that every good fortune will come to him.

We understand that there will, in all probability, be a shoe factory located in De Soto that will employ about 500 people. If our information is correct and the factory is established it will add almost as much to De Soto as did the railroad shops when they were located here.—De Soto Republican.

The Arcadia Valley Poultry Plant, Arcadia, J. C. Medley, proprietor, has white, buff and barred Plymouth Rock eggs for hatching, fifty cents a setting. Also deals in "Sure Hatch" Incubators and Brooders and all poultry supplies. The patronage of the public is respectfully solicited. See advertisement elsewhere.

The buzz-saw's sharp and has a biting tooth. The bonnie briar bush its sting. The sliding cellar door its splinters hold. And hurt is found in everything!

Let these be our motto and render void. By keeping far from them away, But where's the man from gossip's lying tongue. Can lend, or feel immune, O say!

Dr. Vandervoort, wife and little daughter left Monday for Arcadia, where they will spend the next few months. The Doctor has 400 head of mules in charge, upon which he is performing some extraordinary dental work near there.—Poplar Bluff Citizen.

We can't imagine where those four hundred head of mules are located.

Mrs. Catherine Immer, widow of the late Ferdinand Immer of Pilot Knob, has brought suit in the circuit court here against the heirs of said Ferdinand Immer asking that the settlement she made with said heirs about a year ago be set aside on the ground of fraud. Mrs. Immer is now living in St. Louis. The case will not likely be tried the coming term of court.

The Piedmont Banner last week pays a well-deserved compliment to "Isaac," our faithful and competent correspondent at Des Arc. In referring to "Isaac" the Banner says: "Isaac," the versatile Des Arc correspondent of the Ironton REGISTER, in his letter last week had several things to say of interest to our readers. We clip the following and wish we had an "Isaac" on our staff. * * * * *

The three crap shooters, Bert Demler, Wm. Spang and Wm. Schleyer, who were arraigned before Mayor Edgar on Monday of last week and paid fine and costs for gambling on the streets, were re-arrested Wednesday on the state charge of gambling. Friday they pleaded guilty before Squire Fairchild and were assessed fine and costs amounting to \$34 each. Verily, the way of the crap shooter is hard.

H. M. Collins, our livery man asks the REGISTER to tell the people that he will be better prepared to serve them in a livery way this spring and summer than he ever has been before. He has a good lot of horses and expects to receive a number of new and in every way up-to-date rigs in a few days. He promises the best of service and respectfully solicits your patronage. See Collins when you want a horse or rig.

On Tuesday we visited the prospect mine being opened by Robert Trauernicht and were very agreeably surprised at what has been done here. A shaft about twenty feet deep has been sunk, and from it quite a quantity of pure lead has been taken, while in the drift which is now being dug into the hill there is a vein of as fine

quality of pure lead as was ever found anywhere, and it is there in paying quantity, too. Mr. Trauernicht has already got out about 6,000 pounds of this high grade ore, and by energy and perseverance he has made "a rich strike" and he is to be congratulated upon his success.—Ironton Gazette.

The closing exercises of the Pilot Knob public school were witnessed by a crowded house, as they deserved. I do not remember having attended an entertainment more pleasing in character and attainment. The little folks in speech, song and dialogue did themselves proud, while the drills were almost perfect. Prof. Hawkins and his good wife certainly may congratulate themselves upon the general verdict not only on the closing exercises but the school work proper, as well. The Bodweisers attended that evening, and I have heard some envious people insinuate that maybe it was due to this fact that the curtain support gave way; but I treat the suggestion with the contempt it deserves.

Mrs. Lulu Gillam Woodside asks the REGISTER to announce that she will have her Spring Millinery Opening Saturday, April 11th. Mrs. Woodside will be assisted by a competent trimmer from St. Louis and the ladies may be assured that the display will be a most elegant one, embracing everything new, novel and up-to-date in millinery. No souvenirs will be given away but every lady attending the opening will have a chance to secure a \$5 hat free. Every lady visiting the millinery parlors that day will be expected to register and select a number, and the lucky guesser of the prize number will be presented with a beautiful spring bonnet. A most cordial invitation is extended to every lady in the Valley and vicinity to attend the opening.

James Burnett, of Burnett's Spring, Dent county, was arraigned before the U. S. Commissioner here last Thursday, charged with selling liquor without paying the government tax. The defendant waived preliminary examination and was held for the District Court of St. Louis. This is the third time in the last few years that Burnett has been brought here charged with violating the revenue law, but has heretofore always escaped conviction. Whether he will be as fortunate this time remains to be seen. Burnett is quite a character. He is probably seventy years of age and is in appearance an exact reproduction of the pictures of "Uncle Sam." He has a part fitted up in some backwoods section of Dent county and in the summer season gives picnics and reunions galore. He says that his arrest this time is the result of some bitter contests in the late election.

Mr. S. V. Dennison, of Pilot Knob, well known to many of our readers, is a nephew of C. G. Dennison of Chicago, of whose mysterious disappearance is told in the following, telegraphed from Buffalo, N. Y., to the Globe-Democrat of March 22d: "Despite systematic efforts on the part of the police and extensive advertising in the newspapers, the whereabouts of Chas. G. Dennison, a wealthy Chicago man, who came here on a business trip and who has mysteriously disappeared, is still unknown. Mr. Dennison, who is 61 years old, left the Hotel Broedel last Wednesday morning, and has not since been seen. The missing man's wife and her son, Gus, Dennison, arrived here to-day from the west. Detective Watts, who has charge of the search, said to-night that no tangible clue had thus far been discovered. Mr. Dennison had only a small amount of money with him, and the suggestion of foul play, with robbery as a motive, is scouted by his friends."

The citizens of Flat River and surrounding country are glad that the heavy blasting in the cut between Flat River and Esther, which has disturbed them by day and night for months, is at an end. The cut was completed the first of last week, and steel was laid a few days later. The work of this cut has been slow and expensive. It will be long remembered by people living in that vicinity. We understand that the plastering in many houses has been greatly injured by the jars of the terrific blasts that have been required to remove the immense amount of rock that has been torn out. The cut is 230 yards long and is from 10 to 35 feet in depth. It is said to have cost \$25,000, while the value of the explosives used is placed at about \$5,000. We have heard the opinion expressed frequently that many local mine workers, familiar with this district, could have handled this contract much better and more cheaply than did the firm which put it through. The cut, however, is regarded as a fine piece of railroad work, and the road bed through it is so well graded as to scarcely require ballasting. With the exception of about 100 yards in East Flat River, at the point of the Crawley and Federal switch crossings, the track has been laid on the S. M. from Ste. Genevieve to Elvins. A portion of it has already been ballasted. Much work remains to be done on the portion of the road between Elvins and Bismarck, but the eastern division above mentioned is practically complete.—Lead Belt News.

Mullin & Brown's stock of ladies' shoes are fine and cheap. Prices, 70c to \$2.50.

PERSONAL.

John I. Marshall is in St. Louis. Ed. Immer, of St. Louis, was in town Sunday.

E. W. Graves, of Des Arc, was in town Sunday.

B. B. Roagan was in Grandin one day last week.

Miss Utica Reagan is visiting in St. Louis this week.

S. F. Dennison paid a visit to St. Louis last week.

Rev. and Mrs. Richey were in St. Louis last week.

Dr. Gay was in Greenville a couple of days last week.

Newt. Warren, of Bellevue, was in town last Thursday.

W. T. O'Neal and wife were in Piedmont last Thursday.

A. Winkler was here from Poplar Bluff last Saturday.

Fred. Rodach, of Middlebrook, was in town Wednesday.

J. H. Sutton, of Des Arc, was a caller last Thursday.

W. J. Schwab and wife were in St. Louis the first of the week.

W. R. Read, of Bellevue, was an Ironton visitor last Friday.

D. B. Seibert, the bank examiner, was in Ironton Wednesday.

Mrs. Chas. Downey, of Vineland, visited home folk this week.

W. H. Thomson and wife were at "Valley Home" last Sunday.

C. W. Phelan and wife of St. Louis, were in the Valley last week.

Mrs. W. Curry of Blackwell, was in Ironton several days the past week.

W. T. Gay and Fred. Kindell, Jr., went to St. Louis Tuesday morning.

John Brierton left last week on a visit to his brother, James, in Alabama.

Mrs. Connor, of Kaolla, was in Ironton Tuesday on her way home from St. Louis.

Dr. F. Trauernicht and wife, of St. Louis, visited relatives at Middlebrook last week.

Mrs. S. W. Andrews and Miss Blanche Fletcher paid a visit to St. Louis last week.

Mrs. C. Kemmett will leave in a few days for North Dakota, where she will make her future home.

Mr. Galloway and family arrived from Poplar Bluff Saturday, and are located at Mrs. Biemel's.

Mrs. Sontag left Wednesday for her home in St. Louis after spending the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Biemel.

Go to Mullin & Brown's for hats, clothing, etc.

No Surgeon's Knife in This.

Mrs. Carrier Blanks, colored, wife of Ironton's faithful mail carrier, one day last week told a REGISTER writer of the great benefit she had received from being treated by Dr. W. J. Smith, osteopath. She said: "For several months I was afflicted with rheumatism but could get no relief. I had medical attendance but it did me no good, whatever. My condition grew very serious and the attending physicians told me that in addition to my rheumatism I had a tumor and that it would be necessary for me to have a surgical operation performed. This I did not want to do but I was getting much worse every day and I knew that if I did not soon get relief the end would quickly come. The doctors insisted that the operation should be performed. At last when my condition was most serious and it seemed as if I could not get any relief I called in Dr. W. J. Smith. From the day he commenced treating me I began to get better and my improvement was most rapid. What the physicians had said was tumor has entirely passed away and I am feeling just about as well as I ever did in my life."

BUSINESS WANTED.—Party wants to purchase good grocery or general merchandise store in Iron county town. Must be cheap for cash, or take house in Flat River as part payment. Please state particulars and address. BUSINESS, REGISTER office.

To Teachers and Students.

All persons holding themselves before the public as teachers and instructors of the youth of our country, have a few questions of importance to answer.

You are living in an age of progress and the questions you must answer are: "Am I making any advancement; am I up with the times; do I deserve greater confidence from my patrons?" Ask yourselves these questions. Before you answer, reflect on the manner in which your time during vacations has been spent. If it has not been spent so that you are daily growing stronger, your time has not been used to the best advantage. Perhaps you have been sleeping when you should have been working with your books. If you have made no advancement, but are moving along in the same old ruts, traveled years ago, you need not expect promotion. You get just what you deserve. If we were to examine the grades of our teachers we would find many of them low. Those teachers are standing in rear ranks. We want you to move forward, and will help you, if you will permit us to do so.

We are going to offer you the best work we can give in a summer school. In this school we shall cover all the work required for any grade of county certificate. Are you weak and behind in some branches? If so, you have a chance to get the work you need to make those branches your strongest points.

If you are only a student and not a teacher, we hope to interest you. You will have an opportunity to get nine weeks' work at small cost. If you want more work than you have had, spend these weeks with us, and the results will surpass your expectation. We want to have you with us in this work. We can help you.

For information or course of study address, O. J. Buford, Bellevue, Mo. Very Respectfully, O. J. BUFORD, Co. Comm'r. M. W. DAUGHERTY, Prin. Ironton Schools.

Easter cards and Easter novelties—a large assortment, at Adolph's jewelry store.

Des Arc Items.

J. G. Bauer lectured here Thursday and Friday night on "Temperance and Prohibition." While we don't endorse all he says, yet he made some good points, and it was quite interesting to hear him talk; but we do agree to every thing he said about the W. C. T. U., for they have made wonderful progress and have accomplished much good. They are behind closing the army canten, which was a scandal to our army, the sidewalk law and they are also responsible for several other good deeds. It is a pity they can not go to our Legislature, for our Iron county men, I think, got drowned in the Missouri river, for I have never seen in the paper whether they got home safe or not.

On account of cold weather vegetables are not coming up, and perhaps will have to be replanted.

Sorry to hear of Mr. Scoggins' loss by fire of his mill, planer, hub factory and one carload of hubs. His loss will be at least \$8000. His mill was at Glover near Hogn, on the I. M. & N. E. W. Graves is wanting one million

feet of gum logs. He pays \$4.00 per thousand delivered at his mill.

Calvin Graham and family from Saco, Madison county, took the train here Sunday for the Indian Territory near Fort Dodge.

John Stevenson, wife and baby spent the first of the week with relatives in Piedmont.

Leonard Morris and Alvin Wallis are working in Granite City, Ill.

Mrs. Chas. Williams visited in Piedmont last week.

Mrs. Will Curtis and baby, accompanied by her sister, returned to Ironton Sunday.

Willey O'Neal went to Mill Spring Monday.

Ed. Hickman of this place, who is working at Granite City in the steel foundry, is now getting \$5.00 per day. He has worked himself up, and certainly deserves credit for his energy and industry. He will make a useful man some day.

A fine mule was stolen from Jas. Lovelace Friday night. The mule is fifteen hands high, has a scar on his left fore foot, color black. Any information as to his whereabouts will be thankfully received. ISAAC.

Ladies' silk undershirts at Mullin & Brown's \$2.50.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to return our sincere thanks to the good people of Goodland and Edge Hill for the kindness and attention shown our dear mother, Mrs. Judith Love, in her fatal illness. Long will we gratefully remember you all. THE FAMILY.

Will close out and sell at cost the following: Glass water sets, china tea sets, vases, statuettes and juvenile books. H. ADOLPH, Jeweler.

Weather Summary for March, 1903.

Mean max. temp. 60.00
min. 37.00
temp. 48.05
Max. 79.00
Min. 18.00
Total precipitation 2.97 inches
W. H. DELANO, Observer.

Six surries and buggies for sale cheap for cash or will be exchanged for horses. Apply at once to H. M. COLLINS, Ironton, Mo.

Election Notice.

Stockholders of the Ironton Academy of Music will take notice that on Monday, the 6th day of April, 1903, an election for five directors for one year will be held at the hall, between the hours of 2 and five o'clock P. M. JACOB GRANDHOMME, Sec'y.

WANTED.—Good girl to do general housework. Good wages and no washing. Apply at once to Mrs. S. E. MANGOLD, Arcadia.

You Know Who You Are Taking

When you take Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic because the formula is plainly printed on every bottle showing that it is simply Iron and Quinine in a tasteless form. No Cure, No Pay. 50c.

Northern White and Black Seed Oats forty-five cents per bushel at Ironton Manufacturing Co.'s mill.

Cut this out and take it to Arcadia Valley Drug Store and get a free sample of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets, the best physic. They cleanse and invigorate the stomach, improve the appetite and regulate the bowels. Regular size, 25c. per box.

LOST.—Somewhere between Ironton and the Shut-in, either on the road back of the poor farm or on the main road, last Sunday, a red fox bon, or neck wrap. Finder will please return to this office and receive reward.

Beautiful Yards.

"Beautiful Yards and How to Make Them So," a handsomely printed and illustrated book telling how to make the home grounds beautiful and artistic; how to prepare the soil; how to make the lawn; how to grow plants from seed; how to grow bulbs and roots; how to fight insects and disease; and containing a descriptive list, with full cultural directions, of such desirable ornamental and flowering plants as are certain to give good results in this climate, will be mailed free to anyone sending their name and address to PLANT'S SEED STORE, 616 N. 4th st., St. Louis, Mo.

A most highly recommended trimmer from St. Louis will assist Mrs. Woodside in arranging her opening display of millinery.

For information or course of study address, O. J. Buford, Bellevue, Mo. Very Respectfully, O. J. BUFORD, Co. Comm'r. M. W. DAUGHERTY, Prin. Ironton Schools.

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The Ironton Manufacturing Co. is now taking orders for Swift & Co.'s spring fertilizers for March delivery.

Roselle Items.

Farmers are busy sowing oats and plowing for corn.

Miss Clemma Downs has taken charge of the postoffice.

Mrs. Samuel Downs, of Elvins, is on the move to her farm in these parts.

Mr. Rama Inman visited relatives near Knob Lick Sunday.

Mrs.